

**\*OFFERING SONG**  
**“Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful”**

**ELW Hymn 182**

**\*OFFERING PRAYER**

Merciful God,  
accept the fruits of our labor, gathered to give you glory.  
You have set a table before us, a glimpse of that great day  
when we will hunger and thirst no more.  
Nourish us with the body and blood of Jesus,  
that goodness and mercy may follow us  
and bless the world you love.  
In the name of Jesus, **Amen.**

**MEAL**

**\*GREAT THANKSGIVING**

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The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**  
Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

... we praise your name and join their unending hymn.

**SANCTUS: “Holy, Holy, Holy”**

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...we cry out Amen. **Amen.**  
...we shout Amen. **Amen.**  
...we plead Amen. **Amen.**

...Grant us such life,  
the life of the Father to the Son,  
the life of the Spirit of our risen Savior,  
life in you, now and forever. **Amen.**

**\*LORD’S PRAYER**

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray:  
**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,**  
**your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**  
**Give us today our daily bread.**  
**Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.**  
**Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.**  
**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,**  
**now and forever. Amen.**

**\*INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

*At the direction of the usher, please come forward, forming two lines in the center aisle, to stand or kneel at the chancel rail to receive the gift of God’s living Word in bread and wine. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request, and you may choose wine (glass) or alcohol-free juice (stainless steel). To receive communion at your seat, simply notify an usher. All are welcome at this table.*

**COMMUNION HYMN**

**“Lamb of God”** **ELW Page 146**  
**“Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing!”** **ELW Hymn 385**  
**“Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain”** **ELW Hymn 363**

**\*TABLE BLESSING**

May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in God’s grace. **Amen.**

**\*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Holy One,  
through this meal you have made your home among us  
and are making all things new.  
Send us now to speak peace to anxious hearts,  
to love our enemies,  
and to bring your healing to the nations.  
In the name of Jesus, **Amen.**

**SENDING**

**\*BLESSING**

God Almighty, who is the beginning and the end,  
Jesus Christ, the firstborn of the dead,  
and the Spirit, our advocate and peace,  
✠ bless you now and forever. **Amen.**

**\*SENDING HYMN**

**“Thine Is the Glory”**

**ELW Hymn 376**

**\*DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Praise the Lord. Alleluia!  
**Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

**POSTLUDE**

"The Heavens Declare the Glory of God," by Benedetto Marcello (1686-1739),  
arr. Mitchell-Wallace and Head

**CHRIST IS RISEN!**  
**Welcome to Worship**

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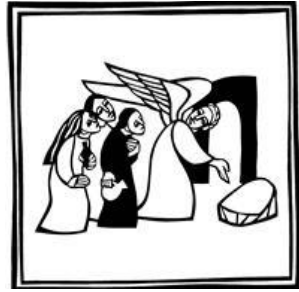
**RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD**  
**EASTER DAY**

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**Immanuel Lutheran Church**

**April 5, 2026**  
**10:00 AM**



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\*Please stand as you are able

**PRELUDE**

"Ciaccona," by Bernardo Storace (c. 1637- c. 1707)

**GATHERING**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

**Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

**\*THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

**Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne  
and to the Lamb!

**Amen.**

Merciful God...

...Blessed are you.

**You guide us to springs of the water of life.**

We join with saints and angels, giving you honor and praise,  
now and forever. **Amen.**

**\*GATHERING HYMN**

**"Jesus Christ Is Risen Today"**

**ELW Hymn 365**

**\*GREETING**

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the  
communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE**

**"This is the Feast"**

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**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

O God, you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross for our  
redemption, and by his glorious resurrection you delivered us from the  
power of death. Make us die every day to sin, that we may live with him  
forever in the joy of the resurrection, through your Son, Jesus Christ our  
Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now  
and forever. **Amen.**

**WORD**

**FIRST READING: Acts 10:34-43**

34 Peter began to speak to [Cornelius and his household]: "I truly understand  
that God shows no partiality, 35 but in every people anyone who fears him and  
practices righteousness is acceptable to him. 36 You know the message he sent  
to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all.  
37 That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the

baptism that John announced: 38 how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with  
the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all  
who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. 39 We are witnesses to  
all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by  
hanging him on a tree, 40 but God raised him on the third day and allowed him  
to appear, 41 not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as  
witnesses and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. 42 He  
commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one  
ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. 43 All the prophets testify  
about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins  
through his name."

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

**PSALMODY: Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24**



This is the day that the LORD has made; let us re-joice and be glad in it.

1 Give thanks to the Lord, for the | Lord is good;

God's mercy en- | dures forever.

**2 Let Israel | now declare,**

**"God's mercy en- | dures forever."**

14 The Lord is my strength | and my song,

and has become | my salvation.

**15 Shouts of rejoicing and salvation echo in the tents | of the  
righteous:**

**"The right hand of the | Lord acts valiantly!**

16 The right hand of the Lord | is exalted!

The right hand of the | Lord acts valiantly!"

**17 I shall not | die, but live,**

**and declare the works | of the Lord. R**

18 The Lord indeed pun- | ished me sorely,

but did not hand me o- | ver to death.

**19 Open for me the | gates of righteousness;**

**I will enter them and give thanks | to the Lord.**

20 "This is the gate | of the Lord;

here the righ- | teous may enter."

**21 I give thanks to you, for you have | answered me**

**and you have become | my salvation. R**

22 The stone that the build- | ers rejected

has become the chief | cornerstone.

**23 By the Lord has | this been done;**

**it is marvelous | in our eyes.**

24 This is the day that the | Lord has made;

let us rejoice and be | glad in it. **R**

**SECOND READING: Colossians 3:1-4**

1 If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where  
Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. 2 Set your minds on the things  
that are above, not on the things that are on earth, 3 for you have died, and  
your life is hidden with Christ in God. 4 When Christ who is your life is  
revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

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**\*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

**"Alleluia"**

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**\*GOSPEL: Matthew 28:1-10**

The Holy Gospel according to Saint Matthew.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

1 After the Sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary  
Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. 2 And suddenly there  
was a great earthquake, for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven,  
came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. 3 His appearance was like  
lightning and his clothing white as snow. 4 For fear of him the guards  
shook and became like dead men. 5 But the angel said to the women, "Do  
not be afraid, for I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified.  
6 He is not here, for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place  
where he lay. 7 Then go quickly and tell his disciples, 'He has been raised  
from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you  
will see him.' This is my message for you." 8 So they left the tomb quickly  
with fear and great joy and ran to tell his disciples. 9 Suddenly Jesus met  
them and said, "Greetings!" And they came to him, took hold of his feet,  
and worshiped him. 10 Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and  
tell my brothers and sisters to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**SERMON**

**\*HYMN OF THE DAY**

**"Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen!"**

**ELW Hymn 377**

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**ELW Page 104**

**\*PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

... Merciful God, **receive our prayer.**

... God of resurrection power, use us and these prayers to proclaim the  
good news of new life to all the world, through Jesus Christ, our risen  
Savior. **Amen.**

**\*PEACE**

The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

**And also with you.**

**OFFERTORY**

"Come, Proclaim the Victory" arr. Joseph Martin